

St. Ambrose Catholic Church

Fr. Donatello Iocco, Pastor



Mission Statement:

In Christ we are all things, He is everything to us. If you have wounds to heal, He is a physician; if fever scorches you, He is a fountain. Would you punish evil doing, He is justice, If you need help, he is strength; if you fear death, He is life; if you hunger, He is food.

- St. Ambrose

MASS TIMES

Sunday Liturgy
Saturday (Vigil) 4:30 pm
Family Mass with Youth Choir
Sunday 9:00 am Cantor & Organ
11:00 am Choir & Organ

Daily Mass

Monday-Friday 8:00 am (no Mass Tuesdays)

Devotions

Holy Hour Eucharistic Adoration
First Friday 8:30 am - 9:30 am
"Can you not watch an hour with me?" Matthew 26:40
Holy Rosary Monday - Saturday 7:30 am
Divine Mercy Chaplet Monday - Saturday 8:30 am
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Wednesdays 8:45 am

BECOME A FRIENDLY VISITOR!

Under the direction of the pastor, Friendly Visitors serve those in the parish and surrounding community who are in need of social interaction. Must attend a 1 day training session when available.

PARISHIONERS

Please contact the parish office to update address/phone #s or to volunteer in ministries.

Office Hours: Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri 10 am - 3 pm
Closed Tues, Sat, Sun

New Parishioners

Welcome! To register please call the office or email rose@stambroseparish.com.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm (or by appointment)

Marriage

Couples wishing to arrange a wedding are required to contact the parish 1 year in advance and must be registered parishioners. The date needs to be confirmed with the pastor. A Marriage Preparation Course is required and can be taken at any parish. Request for Marriage forms are found on the parish website. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Sacrament of Baptism

People seeking Baptism for their children must be registered in the parish for at least three months, and must speak to the Pastor after Mass. Baptism is celebrated every 3rd Sunday of the month. Baptism forms are found on the parish website.

Sacrament of the Sick and Care for the Elderly & Shut-ins

For the Anointing of the Sick please call the parish office to arrange a visit by the Priest. Those confined to their homes by illness, infirmity or age, who would like to receive Communion contact the office.

Religious Instruction

Sacramental Preparation is offered to all registered and active parishioners. Information is provided through bulletin and pulpit announcements.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors, Lay Pastoral Visitors, Friendly Visitors, Greeters, Ushers, St. Ambrose Choir and Youth Choir, Catholic Women's League, Knights of Columbus & Honouring God's Creation Society

WE WELCOME YOU TO JOIN US!



THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Oct 23, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS

<i>Mon Oct 24</i>		<i>Sat Oct 29</i>	
<i>8:00 am</i>	Pro Populo	<i>4:30 pm</i>	+Antonio Mignano (Family)
<i>Wed Oct 26</i>		<i>Sun Oct 30</i>	
<i>8:00 am</i>	For the Sick	<i>9:00 am</i>	+Agnes Pary (Family)
			+Luciano & +Maddalena Russo
			+Luigi & +Ersilia De Palma
			(Clementina Russo)
<i>Thurs Oct 27</i>			
<i>8:00 am</i>	For the Unborn		
		<i>11:00 am</i>	+Giuseppe Sabatino (Family)
<i>Fri Oct 28</i>			+Catherine Vickery (The Power
<i>8:00 am</i>	For the Poor		Family)
			+Antonio & +Lucia D'Agostino
			(Carmela De Santis)
			+Immacolata & +Antonio Falcone
			(Carmela Capobianco & Family)



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MASS FOR THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED All Souls Mass – Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at 8:00am & 7:00pm. All Souls envelopes are

available at both entrances of the parish. Please place your envelopes in the collection basket on Saturdays and Sundays. Also, parishioners are invited to write the names of deceased relatives and friends in "The Book of the Dearly Departed" which will be set up in the front of the Sanctuary. You can make a donation and place it in the basket provided. The mass intentions will be placed on the altar throughout the month of November.



Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 23, 2022

WANTED: Humble sinners who know the forgiveness of God. These make good servants of the Gospel. They can be priests, deacons, brothers or sisters. If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. [Email vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) www.vocationstoronto.ca

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Oct 23, 2022



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Dear Parents, If your child is celebrating their Confirmation in 2023 there will be a **Mandatory Meeting & Registration drop off with payment on Saturday, Nov 19, 2022 at 11:00am in the church.** As part of their catechism preparation children who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation are required to attend mass. If your child attends Private/Public School please call the office for more information. **Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Saturday, June 3, 2023 at 11:00am.**



SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Dear Parents, If your child is celebrating their 1st Holy Communion in 2023 there will be a **Mandatory Meeting & Registration drop off with payment on Saturday, February 25th at 11:00am in the church.** As part of their catechism preparation children who will be receiving the Sacrament of 1st Holy Communion are required to attend mass. If your child attends Private/Public School please call the office for more information. **Sacrament of 1st Holy Communion will be celebrated on Saturday, June 10, 2023 at 10:30am.**



Estate Planning for the Caribbean Community

Are you Caribbean or of Caribbean descent? If so, join us for this **FREE** special event at the historic St. Paul's Basilica in Toronto, on **Saturday, October 29th, 2022.** Come and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings

and traditions around burials and cremation. This day offers lots more!

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*A musical interlude featuring members of Our Lady of Good Counsel Caribbean Music Ministry

*A tour of the beautiful St. Paul's Basilica; the oldest Roman Catholic Church in Toronto

8:00 a.m.–8:50 a.m. Registration and Breakfast

8:50 a.m.–9:00 a.m. Music

9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m. Presentation

10:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m. Questions and Answers

10:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m. Music

11:00 a.m.–11:30 a.m. Tour of the St. Paul's Basilica

To register or receive further information, send us an email

to: development@archtoronto.org or call us at 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 with the

following information: **Full Name & Parish**

***Space is limited so please register early!**



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